

**Search Notes**

Application No.

09/853,304

Examiner

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Applicant(s)

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Art Unit

1615

**SEARCHED**

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424	449	8/3/2004	RMJ
	78.02		

**INTERFERENCE SEARCHED**

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**SEARCH NOTES  
(INCLUDING SEARCH STRATEGY)**

	DATE	EXMR
Inventor Search West - AllDBs STN/PubMed kava kava, kavalactone, searched the specific lactones	8/3/2004	RMJ
Searched all 3 lactones together or individually. Search for them in topical/skin formulations of any kind.		
Consulted Susan Loring about the claimed percentages and specific combination of lactones. Presented best art found.		
Discussed the art and whether it is applicable for a proper rejection. Ranges were above and below the recited ranges.		